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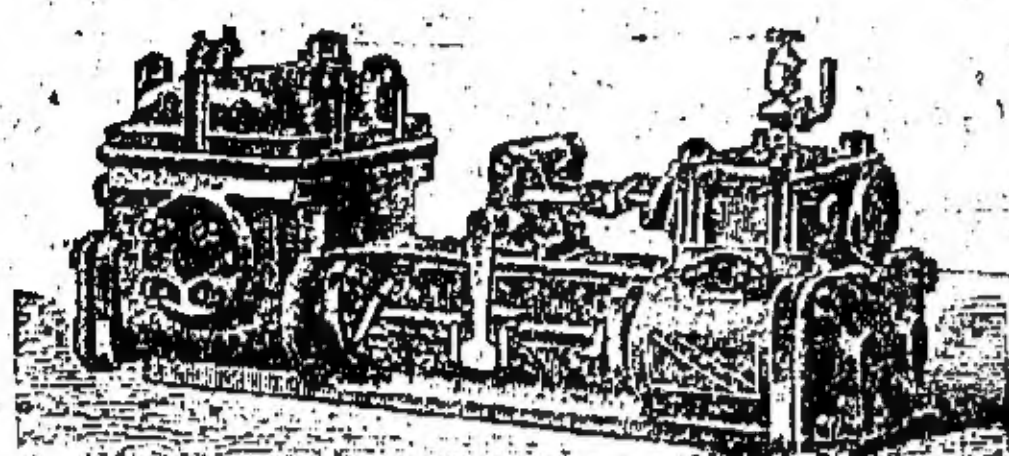
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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY ANNUAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held in the Office of the General Managers on MONDAY, September 24th, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Consulting Committee and Statement of Accounts to August 15th, 1900.

JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.,  
General Managers,  
Hongkong, August 15, 1900. 1710

THE HONGKONG COTTON SPINNING, WEAVING AND DYING COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER OF SHARES in the above Company will be CLOSED from MONDAY, August 21st, to the 3rd day of Sept., (both days inclusive), and from August 1st to the 31st August 1900, no transfers of Shares can be registered, during which period no Transfer of Shares can be Registered.

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Hongkong, August 13, 1900. 1723

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By Order,

G. A. WOODCOCK,  
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Hongkong, August 1, 1900. 1638

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By Order of the Court of Directors,

H. M. BEVIS,  
Acting Chief Manager.

Hongkong, July 25, 1900. 1610

### HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE is hereby given that the REGISTER OF SHARES of the Corporation will be CLOSED from SATURDAY, the 4th, to the 18th day of August next (both days inclusive), during which period NO TRANSFER OF SHARES can be Registered.

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Hongkong, July 25, 1900. 1611

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Dividend Warrants payable on SATURDAY, the 18th August, will be issued to Shareholders on Application.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 19th to 18th Inst., both days inclusive.

JARDINE, MATTHEWSON & Co.,  
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Hongkong, August 2, 1900. 1626

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE ORDINARY HALF-YEARLY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS will be held in the Office of the Company, Queen's Buildings, Cornhill Road, on MONDAY, the 20th August, at 12 o'clock (Noon), for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and the Statement of Accounts to the 30th June, 1900.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 6th to 20th August, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

THOS. L. ROSE,  
Secretary.

Hongkong, July 27, 1900. 1629

### DIOCESAN SCHOOL & ORPHANAGE.

SCHOOL DUTIES will be Resumed on MONDAY, 20th Instant.

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## MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.  
3 p.m.—Foreign leaves for Swatow.  
Miscellaneous.  
Goods per *Morley*, undelivered after this date subject to rent.

## General Memoranda.

**SATURDAY, August 18.**  
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, at the City Hall.  
Dividend Warrant of the China Sugar Refining Co., Ltd., payable.  
**SUNDAY, August 19.**  
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd., at the Co.'s Office, Queen's Buildings, Connaught Road.  
3 p.m.—Auction of Crown Land situated at Shekwan.  
**TUESDAY, August 21.**  
3 p.m.—Auction of Land situated at Kowloon, with frontage on the Canton Road.  
3 p.m.—Auction of Valuable Property, viz., situate at Yau-mai, by Messrs. Hughes and Hough.  
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**WEDNESDAY, August 22.**  
Goods per *China* undelivered after this date subject to rent.  
**THURSDAY, August 23.**  
Noon.—Meeting of Shareholders of the Hongkong Hotel Company, Ltd., at the Company's Hotel.

## Temperature.

(Taken at Messrs. Folger & Co.'s Premises, Queen's Road.)

HONGKONG, August 16, 1900.	
Barometer—9 a.m.	29.82
Do. 1 p.m.	29.80
Do. 4 p.m.	29.60
Thermometer—9 a.m.	88
Do. 1 p.m.	89
Do. 4 p.m.	88
Do. (Wet bulb) 9 a.m.	79
Do. 1 p.m.	79
Do. 4 p.m.	80
Do. Maximum	89
Do. Minimum overnight	86

## Exchange.

HONGKONG, August 16, 1900.	
On Bank, Wire	2.0 1/2
On Demand	2.0 1/2
30 days' sight	2.0 1/2
4 months' sight	2.0 1/2
Credit, 4 months' sight	2.0 1/2
On Paris	2.0 1/2
On Demand	2.54
Credit, 4 months' sight	2.50
On Berlin—Demand	2.07
On New York	2.07
On Demand	49 1/2
Credit, 60 days' sight	49 1/2
On Bombay	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
On Calcutta	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
On Singapore	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
On Manila	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
On Shanghai	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
30 days' sight, (private paper)	16 1/2
On Yokohama	16 1/2
On Demand	16 1/2
Gold Leaf, 100 fine (per oz.)	\$85.00
Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate)	\$9.83
Silver (per oz.)	28 1/2



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B, C, and CC are excellent dinner wines

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**A. S. WATSON & Co., Limited.**

**THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.**

## The China Mail.

The publication of this issue commenced at 5.15 p.m.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, AUGUST 16, 1900.

## Editorial Comment.

It is a curious circumstance

that, so soon as most think

ing residents in the Far

East had come to the con-

clusion that the telegram from Dr. Mor-

son, the veteran *Times* correspondent, of

date 21st July, was the conclusive mes-

sage from the Peking prisoners which bore the stamp

of genuineness, fresh messages come to us

from the same source. For the gist of the

latest messages, or letters, received from Dr.

Morrison we are indebted to the courtesy

of a local firm; and it cannot be ques-

tioned that the news is decidedly encourag-

ing. Let us take the points. It is clearly

stated that no assistance whatever has been

received by the besieged Legations from the

Chinese Government. This must mean that

the personages who have assumed or usurped

the Government of Peking have been

fighting against the besieged refugees right

through; and that the dogged and indomit-

able pluck of the members of the Legations

and their guards is alone responsible for

the fact that the bulk, apparently, of the

deserted land are still, we fervently hope,

alive. It seems almost impossible the gar-

risson, the Minister, and the others of the

imprisoned community enclosed within the

walls weakly outlined, could have with-

stood the siege, so far as supplies were

concerned—unless either the so-called tele-

grams as to short supplies were false, or the

deficiency had been made up by friendly

members of the High Official class. The

defences have been strengthened, so the

letter says. This was one of the statements

previously received from Sir Claude Mac-

Donald, and doubted by most people; but

apparently it shows that, without any aid

from outside the brave defenders had cer-

tainly made out and were making one of

the grand stands against treachery which have

already marked the history of the white

man against Asiatic peoples. We are

confident we can hold on until the arrival

of relief. The Allies hoped to reach Peking

on Sunday, the 12th August. And so

it might have been had not the Relieving

Force been compelled to fight at Peking, at

Yang-tsun, and at Tungchow. If

the fight at Tungchow, referred to in

our last telegram of 10th Aug., took place

on the evening of the 14th, it is pos-

sible the Relief Force may be on touching

(or shelling) distance of Peking by this

afternoon. Four days later than it was

looked for. Well, if they still hold out,

the noble remnant will have great reason

to thank Heaven sincerely for being

saved from the most cruel, cowardly,

and unscrupulous piece of international

blackguardism that has ever dis-

tinguished a government which claimed and

received the full recognition of civilized

powers. Perhaps, our withdrawal of troops

from the Shanghai Settlement and the

Yangtze may be a move to keep the

peace until Peking is in the hands of

the Allied Forces. We do not profess

to understand all the ins and outs of

the question. It is possible there may

be reasons for preventing too great a

display of force near Shanghai, and it is

just within the bounds of possibility that

guarantees for the protection of Foreign

life and property have been obtained both

from Viceroy Liu Kun Yi and Viceroy Li

Hung Chang. The latter magistrate is cred-

ited with the possession of a vast amount of

property in Shanghai, and it may be as-

sumed he would take steps to prevent it

from looting or destruction. Notwithstand-

ing these considerations, it appears to us

to be rather a mistake that the troops were

ever taken to Shanghai, before the matter

of their staying there for the defence of

Shanghai and the Yangtze Ports had been

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Notes by the Way.

Mr. Dandy, Chief Sanitary Inspector,

reports that since July 30th, 419 houses

in the Eastern District have been in-

vested in accordance with the Ordinance.

## Mortality Returns.

The returns for the week ended 28th

July show a death rate of 23.5 among the

British and Foreign Community and 24.7

among the Chinese; for the week ended

4th August the figures are 34.2 and 21.6

respectively.

## New Steamship Service.

The Norddeutscher Lloyd are com-

mencing two additional runs from Sydney

to the Far East. One service to be

inaugurated by the steamer *Minchen*, will

be from Sydney, touching at ports on the

eastern coast of Australia, New Guinea,

Caroline Islands, Marianas Islands, to

Hongkong. The steamer *Stettin* will sail

from Sydney, calling at the eastern ports of

Australia, New Guinea, Celebes, Batavia

and Singapore. There will be a six-weekly

service from each terminus.

## The Dread of Partition.

The following extracts will show that

throughout the whole of China intercourse

with foreigners they have been led to live

in constant dread of the acquisition of land

by their visitors.

'At Canton, the hostility of the people

to foreigners—a hostility the fruit of some

two centuries of mutual under-estimation,

prejudice and rancor, recently ripened in

their minds by a conviction that we intend

seizing their country.'—T. T. Meadows,

in 'The Chinese and Their Rebellions.'

'If China once gets persuaded that parti-

tion is meant, there will be a rising all over

the Empire against foreigners.'—N. O.

Daily News, July 28, 1900.

## Proposed European Reservation at Kowloon.

At last meeting of the Sanitary Board

it was resolved to again address the Govern-

ment with reference to a European District

Reservation at Kowloon urging them to

set apart, at as early a date as practicable,

some portion of land to the south of the

Kowloon range of Hills for this purpose.

The Acting Colonial Secretary (Mr. May)

has replied that this matter will not be his

first sight. The letter was read at the meet-

ing of the Sanitary Board this afternoon

along with the following minutes by mem-

bers, viz.—Mr. McKie: 'This is another

case of "drift" and a most unsatisfactory

reply to the Board's letter. Dr. W.

Hartigan—Papers with Mr. McKie. Gov-

ernment pigeonholes are so carefully

captioned. Mr. Fung Wa Chuen—I don't

agree with Mr. McKie. I think the Gov-

ernment's reply is a satisfactory one.

## Some New Things We are to Get.

The following letter, dated 13th inst.,

from the Acting Colonial Secretary (Hon.

P. H. May), was read at the meeting of the

Sanitary Board today.—With reference to

your letter, No. 38, of 2nd March last, I am

directed to acquaint you, for the information

of the Sanitary Board, that provision is

being made in the Estimates for next year

for the construction of additional public

latrines and urinals, for a new Western

Market on a site on the reclaimed opposite

the present Harbour Office, and for increas-

ing water storage in the 'Tytan Valley.' The

question of a refuse destructor is under the

consideration of the Public Works Com-

mittee. The following minutes were attached

to the letter by members of the Board—

Mr. McKie—Refuse destructor sanctioned,

June 1899. Dr. W. Hartigan—I understand

the question of the refuse destructor was

settled long ago. Why has it been 'for-

gotten' again? The unanimous approval

of the Board might have been deemed

sufficient.

## Gambling Raids—One Man Killed.

Early this morning, Inspector Baker

## LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Another Typhoon Warning.

Mr. Rousseaume Wildman, U.S. Consul

General, advises us that he is in receipt of

the following telegram:—

Matilla Observatory, Aug. 16, 9 a.m.

Probably depression far out in the Pacific

towards N.E. of Manila.

## Cheating the G.P.O.—Does it Pay?

Sergeant Garred arrested two more

Post Office defrauders this morning. They

had come down in the Canton boat and

were busy delivering letters, one in Kwong

Yuen Street and the other in Wellington

Street. At the Magistrate, Mr. Hazeland

inflicted the usual penalty of \$1.0 each or,

failing payment, two



